

The **Dedham Cultural Council** is collecting opinions to help us set our funding priorities for next few years. Please take a moment to complete this confidential survey. Please do one of the following:

- **Complete this paper survey**
- **Connect to Survey Monkey Link, <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/DedhamCulturalCouncil2015> Or Scan the QR Code Below will also take you directly to the survey.**



1. How do you hear about Local cultural activities that interest you?

- _____ Local paper
 _____ Town website
 _____ Notices at the library
 _____ Cable access channel
 _____ Local arts newsletter
 _____ Social Website - Specify _____
 _____ Word of mouth
 _____ Other: _____

2. What do you consider to be important issues relating to culture in our community? (i.e., neighborhood revitalization, artists' live and work spaces, special population group needs, school system needs, etc.)

3. What might artists and arts organizations do to make ours a more livable, prosperous community?

4. Do you know that artists, schools and community groups can apply for grants from the Dedham Cultural Council grants funds? ____ Yes ____ No ____

5. What should be the most important priorities that our council should consider for funding?

Priorities	Vital	Very Important	Important	Not important	No opinion
Professional Development of local artists through community projects					
Nature Science Environmental, education projects					
Arts Education in Schools					
Restoration or preservation projects					

Community wide Festivals					
Community wide Concerts					
Community wide Theatre Events					
Field Trips to museums or performances					
In school performances					
Projects celebrating local history or cultural diversity					
Local cable Programming					

6. Please rank at least your TOP 5 recommendations, with "1" for most important, "2" for the next, etc.

- ___ Professional development of local artists through community projects
- ___ Nature, science, environmental education projects
- ___ Arts education in the schools
- ___ Restoration or preservation projects
- ___ Community-wide Festivals
- ___ Community-wide Concerts
- ___ Community-wide Theatre events
- ___ Field trips for students to museums or performances
- ___ In school Performances
- ___ Projects celebrating local history, cultural diversity
- ___ Local cable programming
- ___ Other: _____

7. Is there a particular population segment we should aim to reach through public funding of cultural projects?

- ___ Teens
- ___ Seniors
- ___ Low-income
- ___ People with disabilities
- ___ Families
- ___ Communities of color
- ___ Immigrant communities
- ___ Single adults
- ___ Other: _____

8. If you are affiliated with a cultural organization, what are the most significant challenges you (or your organization) expect(s) to be facing in the next two years?

9. Other comments/suggestions:

Thank you for participating in this survey!